

WESTERLY HUSBAND PENALIZED

Although Divorced and Remarried, Court Holds That He Should Contribute Toward Children's Support—Judgment For William B. Kinney, Sued For Bill His Wife Did Not Owe—Kenyon Laborer Killed By Train.

The non-support case brought by E. L. Barber, overseer of the poor of the town of Westerly, against Judge Oliver H. Williams in the Third district court Friday, Town Solicitor Agard appearing for the state and Attorney Ledwidge for defendant, Jessie Ecclestone testified that she was the divorced wife of Hugh Ecclestone and the mother of four children, whose ages ranged from 11 to 2 years, and they lived with her in the adjoining town of Hopkinton. She brought the petition for divorce and since then Mr. Ecclestone had married another. The complaining witness testified that for over three months Ecclestone had not contributed to the support of the children and that she worked for them, earning \$4 or \$5 a week. She said Ecclestone was a weaver and carpenter, and when working as carpenter earned \$18 a week. Upon cross-examination Mrs. Ecclestone said she brought divorce proceedings as a resident of Hopkinton, and had made complaint to George B. Carpenter, overseer of the poor for the town of Hopkinton, and to E. L. Barber, overseer of the poor for Westerly. She testified that while Ecclestone was the sum of \$1.50 a week for rent and \$3 a week for support of children was deducted from his pay, as was also \$175 in connection with the divorce proceedings. Witness made no complaint while defendant worked for Charles Ecclestone. She said she did not know that after Charles made deductions from Hugh's pay that only from 50 cents to \$2 a week was left for Hugh.

Attorney Ledwidge asked for dismissal of the case on the ground that the overseer of the poor had no jurisdiction, and that no one except the overseer of the poor of the town of Hopkinton had the legal right to institute proceedings, as Mrs. Ecclestone and her dependent children were chargeable to the town of Hopkinton. Mr. Agard opposed the request for dismissal, inasmuch as the case was for violation of the statutes of the state and not any ordinance of the town of Hopkinton. Judge Williams overruled the request of Mr. Ledwidge. No more evidence was introduced. The court found the accused guilty and imposed a sentence of six months in the state workhouse and to pay all costs. Notice of appeal was given and a bond of \$800 required for appearance in the superior court. The bond was furnished with David C. Lowe as surety.

The next case called was a civil suit on book account brought by Joseph Abdalla against William B. Kinney. Mr. Agard appeared for plaintiff and Attorney Rathbun for defendant. Mr. McKenna said that error had been made and asked to substitute the name of David Abdalla for Joseph Abdalla, and Mr. Rathbun objected. A discussion followed on points of law as to the right of substitution, and ended with Mr. Rathbun making motion for non-suit. The motion was denied and substitution permitted.

Daniel Abdalla testified that he was a peddler of dry goods, clothing and notions and had business with Mrs. Kinney for twelve years, and that there was an unpaid bill of \$28.75 contracted by Mrs. Kinney in 1908 that was the cause of the present suit. He read from his memorandum the items of the account and the dates of sales. He said he gave a bill with orders to his brother Joseph for collection, and that Joseph instituted the suit to recover. He had never sold any goods to Mr. Kinney.

Mr. Rathbun asked that it appear that a wrong defendant was named in

the case, and moved for non-suit on that ground. He said it was his peculiar to have both wrong plaintiff and wrong defendant in the same case. It was not shown in the testimony that William Kinney had purchased a single article specified in the bill of particulars. Mrs. Kinney said that the goods sold to Mrs. Kinney by Abdalla were necessities, and as such the husband was responsible for the payment, this claim being upheld by the statutes. The motion for non-suit was denied. Mrs. Kinney testified that she had traded with Daniel Abdalla years ago, but not since 1902 or 1903, and that the claim was a trumped up account. She said she did not owe for a single item in the bill of particulars and had done so trading with Daniel Abdalla during the period specified in the complaint. She said she did not know Joseph Abdalla and never did any business with him.

In response to queries from Mr. McKenna, Mrs. Kinney said she traded with David Abdalla up to about 12 years ago, but had no open account with him, and was positive that she did not know Joseph Abdalla. She said he never presented a bill to her. She then admitted that she did know him by name and had spoken to him. William B. Kinney testified that he knew David Abdalla and never received a bill from him and was never asked for any money. He said he was positive he did not owe Abdalla a cent, and never knew of the suit having been brought against him until he read of it in the newspapers. He said he knew Mrs. Kinney did not owe Abdalla any money, for he had her word for it.

Joseph Abdalla testified that his brother Daniel gave him some bills for collection and among them was one against Mrs. Kinney. He gave the bill to Mrs. Kinney at her home in Manchester street and she tore up the bill and slammed the door in his face. She said she did not owe and would not pay the bill, and then witness gave the bill to a lawyer for collection. After brief arguments Judge Williams gave judgment in favor of defendant, with costs.

Easter Friday morning while Michael Pagan was returning from a grocery store to his home, near the railroad tracks at Kenyon, he was struck by the Adams Express train, and thrown into the river about midway between the villages of Shannock and Kenyon. Joseph Pagan, with whom Michael lived, found the dead body of Pagan in the water beside the tracks. Dr. Robert E. Rouse, medical examiner, pronounced it accidental death and gave the body over to the custody of Undertaker Murphy. The deceased was 41 years of age and employed as laborer for the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company. He leaves a wife and three children in Italy. A brother-in-law resides in Bradford.

Local Laconics.

The letter boxes in Westerly are to be painted the regulation red. It is stated in political circles that there will be several changes in the composition of the next town council.

Representative Herman Holdridge of the Mystic section of the town of Stonington was a visitor Friday in Westerly. William I. Clarke, president of the Westerly town council and president of the Seventh Day Baptist mission board, has moved from Westerly to Ashaway.

Two days' work on the change of grade in Union street has made plain the grade line of the new town hall and courthouse, and gives an idea of the new level of the town.

Now there's talk of a motor-driven fire apparatus in Westerly. The fire district appropriates \$400 annually for horse hire for the department and fires are not frequent in Westerly.

Wilfred Ward, who resides in the Amelia Potter house, at Elm and School streets, recently vacated by J. Irving Maxson, is secretary and general manager of the Bradford Dyeing association.

Though there has been much criticism on the slow growth of the new postoffice building, it is now evident that while not the largest, it will be one of the handsomest public buildings in the country.

Based on the belief that an opinion of the supreme court is not a decision, Gov. Pothier has signed the bill providing that members of the general assembly shall be furnished postage to and from their homes on regular session days. It is now possible to bring the matter before the court in an advisory manner, so that the court decision may have the force of law.

Judge W. Breed of the town court of Stonington is a candidate for reappointment. His only opponent for the office is Judge Herbert W. Rathbun, who formerly presided in the court. The choice of Judge Breed will carry with it the appointment of George R. McKenna of Pawcatuck as prosecuting attorney, one of the leaders of local democracy.

Does not look Natural.

Illinois is trying to become accustomed to Joe Cannon as a plain private citizen.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Real Simplicity.

Historians of the next century may have something to say about Wisconsin simplicity.—Washington Star.

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Birthday Party With Large Cake as a Feature—Easter Sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Partridge entertained a party of young friends Saturday at their home to celebrate the birthday of their daughter, Miss Bly Partridge. A delicious supper was served. A large cake with lighted candles was a feature of the supper. Mrs. George Partridge was assisted in serving by her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Partridge. Those present were Miss Sarah Bloom, Miss Helen Lewis, Miss Marion Woodworth, Miss Dorothy Church, Miss Laura Fine of Norwich, Miss Gladys Hart, Miss Margaret Hughes, Miss Mary Harris of Poquitanuck, Miss Edna Day, Miss Mildred Irons of Brewster's Neck.

Notes.

School closed Friday, March 28, for one week vacation. Teacher, Miss Lillian Miner.

Mrs. Harvey Macfarland and son spent Tuesday with Mrs. Henry Light of Poquitanuck.

Easter Sunday a good number of people attended church. A very interesting sermon was delivered by Rev. C. Wilson Harrison, the subject being "The Living Christ."

Keeping Up the Cost.

The tax commission has made a report on how much it costs the people of the state for government. Legislators and city councils see to it that his costs all there is in sight.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Why is a Democrat?

If there is anything in Washington resembling the glad hand some thousands of Democratic patriots have failed to find it.—Kansas City Journal.

Oatmeal exports dropped off in the fiscal year 1912 to nine million pounds from 32 million pounds in 1911.

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PROVENDER, per bag	1.20
HASKELL'S STOCK FEED, per bag	1.25
CHICK FEED, per bag	1.85
INTERMEDIATE FEED, per bag	1.85
LAYING MASH, per bag	1.90
BUFFALO GLUTEN, per bag	1.40
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